WHERE TO GO TO-DAY.

Launching of the second floating hospital of St. John's Guild at shippard of C. & R. Poillon, foot of Clinton-st. Brooklyn, 2 p. m.

Annual meeting Local Assembly, Daughters of the King, Diocese of Long Island, at St. Lake's Church, 11

Woman's Union prayer-meeting, of Hariem, Lenox-ave, and One-hundred-and-twenty-third-at., 10:30 a. m. business meeting at Knapp Mansion, Brook-

West End Woman's Republican Club at No. 477 Boule-vard, 3:15 p. m.

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Hiustrated lecture on "The Netherlands" by George J.

Corey at Chickering Hall, Fifth-ave, and Eighteenthst., 8:15 p. m. Under auspices of National Society of

Holland Dames of the New-Netherlands. Monthly meeting of the Niobrara League of the Church Mission House, 12 m.

option entertainment on "The Philippines" in Re-ormed Church, Bedford-ave, and Clymer-st., Brook-

idan's "School for Scandal." Academic Chapel, Poly-technic Institute, Brooklyn, 8:15 p. m. technic Institute, Brooklyn, 8:15 p. m.

Musical at home of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Daie, No. 364

Ninth-st., Brooklyn, 8 p. m., benefit of Church of the

Council meeting of the Superintendents of the Nurses Training School Association Convention at Academy of Medicine, No. 17 West Forty-third-st., 10 a. m.

DEDICATION EXERCISES.

A PLOT OF GROUND SET APART FOR THE BURIAL OF FRIENDLESS WOMEN.

MEMBERS OF THE Y. W. C. A. GATHER AT MOUNT HOPE CEMETERY, AND LISTEN TO AD-DRESSES BY PROMINENT MINISTERS.

Under the auspices of the Relief Committee of the Young Women's Christian Association, a plot of ground at Mount Hope Cemetery, Westchester County, was dedicated yesterday for the burial of the extremely poor and friendless women who come under the care of the association.

shaft of plain Vermont granite twenty-two feet high, designed by William H. Hume & Son, has erected on a knoll in the centre of this plot, in which there is space for forty-five graves. tablet bears in simple script these words:

ERECTED BY THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK
"I AM THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE, SAITH THE LORD."

In large letters at the base of the monument are carved the well-known initials "Y. W. C. A." A number of benches were arranged in a semicle around the plot facing the inscription, and the path was covered with strips of matting, the piece leading to the monument being placed over nother in the form of a cross. Dogwood, pinks, white roses and spring blossoms were banked at

The services opened with the hymn "The King of Love My Shepherd Is," led by Miss H. B. Judd and a quartet composed of Mrs. George H. Johnston, Miss Emily Baetz, E. Ellsworth Giles and George

At the close of the hymns the Rev. Dr. George Alexander, of the University Place Presbyterian Church, read passages from the Bible as follows:

St. John v. 25: "Verily, verily, I say unto you, the hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God; and they that hear shall live." Revelation xxi, 4; "And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain; for the former things are passed away."

then sang "Brief Life Is Here Our Portion," after which the Rev. Dr. W. R. Huntington, of Grace Church, delivered a short address, in which he said that the skies were symbolical of the occasion with their sunshine and clouds, as the dedication of such a monument was not wholly an occasion of

with their sunshine and clouds, as the dedication of such a monument was not wholly an occasion of sadness nor entirely one of pleasure.

He congratulated the association for its efforts in securing the gracious provision and assurance of a respectable burial, so much desired by the poor. "My text this morning." he said, "is written on stone." pointing to the engraved tablet. "I do not know who chose the inscription, and I wonder if she realized at the time its peculiar significance. I wonder if she remembered when she chose it that those words were first spoken to a woman, were spoken out of doors and at a season which corresponds with the present season of spring?" He said that the words were first spoken to Martha, and that of all the saints she was the most closely related to the association, which was a representative of active religion, as was Martha.

Dr. Huntington referred to the fact that the shaft stands on ground that once belonged to the homestead of one of the members.

A special train conveyed the party to and from Mount Hope. The company was made up of the Relief Committee, of which the following are members: Miss Doheny, chairman; Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, secretary; Mrs. F. J. Allen, Miss Mary Ambrose, Miss F. Ballard, Mrs. J. Hull Browning, Miss M. T. Cockcroft, Mrs. Bashford Dean, Mrs. Henry Evans, Miss F. Isham, Miss M. Lillenthal, Miss A. Smith, Miss M. E. Thayer, Mrs. G. H. Wooster and Miss H. Wynkoop.

Among the rest of those who accepted invitations to the dedication were Mrs. Clarence E.

Evans, Miss F. Isham, Miss M. Lillenthal, Miss A. G. McNamee, Miss M. M. Roberts, Miss E. M. Smith, Miss M. E. Thayer, Mrs. G. H. Wooster and Miss H. Wynkoop.

Among the rest of those who accepted invitations to the dedication were Mrs. Clarence E. Beebe, Mrs. J. Morris White, Miss M. A. Stimson, Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jaffray, jr., Miss Bengo, Mrs. J. Godfrey Wilson, Miss Butterworth, Mrs. B. F. Watson, Alexander M. Hadden, Miss S. M. Hatfield, Mrs. Alexander M. Welch, Mrs. Isaac M. Dyckman, Erskine Smith, Mrs. E. B. Harper, Mrs. J. Bever King, Mrs. B. S. Clark, Colonel E. M. L. Ehlers, Mrs. E. M. L. Ehlers, F. R. Lawrence, Mrs. F. R. Lawrence, Marcellus Hartley, William H. Hume, Mrs. William H. Hume and J. Hull Browning.

There is one body ready for the new lot. An open grave is just back of the shaft.

MOUNT VERNON NEWS.

School No. 7 of Mount Vernon, the principal of which is Miss Mary E. Gernon, gave an interesting exhibit of some of the work done during the year oy the students. Each child had at least one plece of work on exhibition, and all the branches taught in the school were represented. The children's work showed careful and thorough instruction. The teachers in the school are Miss Blood, Miss Whittaker, Miss Graham, Miss Nichols, Miss Pope, Miss Wright and Miss Prehn. During Saturday afternoon many parents and interested friends called at the school. Lemonade was served, and Miss May Miller and Mrs. Charles Schenck furnished delightful music. by the students. Each child had at least one

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Sons of Veterans of the C. J. Nordquist Camp gave a poverty social on Friday evening at Grand Army Hall. The affair was well attended, and was most successfully carried through, owing to the able services of the president, Mrs. Clarence E. Holmes. Mrs. Joseph Ellison and Mrs. Melville Kelsey received prizes for being dressed in the most poverty-stricken way.

Another of the successful musical evenings hich Miss Levy's choral class has been giving throughout the winter took place on Tuesday evening. The affair was given in Willard Hall, Mount Vernon, and the place was so crowded that many of the audience were obliged to stand. The programme was most favorably commented upon, and the applause was generous. Among those who took part were Miss Anna S. Fairchild, Miss Marion G. Rice, Miss Agnes Bigelow and Miss Louisa T. Glover. It was a concert given by local talent only.

MRS. E. L. SCOPIELD'S RECEPTION. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Scoffeld will give a large reception this evening at their home, in Stamford, Conn., to Governor and Mrs. Lounsbury. Mr. Scofield is a prominent lawyer in that State. Mrs. Scofield is State president of The Tribune Sunshine Society of Connecticut.

CHARACTER AND MIND EVOLUTION. Among the recent lectures given by Miss J. A. Fowler have been the following: "Character: Its True Interpretation," delivered before the Parker Insitute, and "The Evolution of Mind." before the members and friends of the Fourth Prespeterian Church, West End-ave. These lectures Miss Fowler illustrated with many character readings, the subjects being selected by the audience.



CLIO'S ANNUAL BANQUET.

MRS. JOHN JACOB HOPPER GIVES THE ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

BRIGHT SPEECHES, ANECDOTES AND MUSIC ARE MUCH ENJOYED-TOASTS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS.

"We'll tak a cup o' kindness yet, For auld lang syne."

Clio's annual luncheon at Sherry's yesterday proved to be as full of pleasing features and good

Eighty-two members and guests enjoyed an informal reception previous to the luncheon, and many handsome costumes were seen. The table in the small ballroom was in the form of a huge horseshoe, and the elaborate floral decorations of jonquils and white and yellow tulips, representing colors of Clio, were the gift of one of its members, Mrs. George McAdam.

The low hum of many voices, and the quiet laugh, heard even amid "the strains of sweet music," showed the members were enjoying the companionship of their neighbors as well as the re-

The souvenirs were dainty hand-decorated cards, and the programmes were marvels of beauty in white and gold.

Mrs. John Jacob Hopper, the president, gave brief but cordial address of welcome, and in de fining the duties of club life said: "There is no delectable mountain' of rest, but antiring energy for the club that is to accomplish any good thing, and to this high purpose Clio is pledged." The guests of honor from other societies re-

sponded to the toast, 'And the rainbow of friendship that arches its

Mrs. William Gerry Slade brought greetings from the Society of the Daughters of 1812. She gave an outline of the patriotic purpose of the organization, which is primarily to preserve history.

Mrs. Henry Clarke Coe, president of the National Society of New-England Women, brought a loving message from that organization, and drew a graphic nicture of contrasts between the quiet home life of other days and the ideals of the new woman of today. She thought the latter would be creditable to her ancestors if she did not become too much ab sorbed in club life.

Mrs. John A. Mason, president of the Rota Club, expressed her appreciation of courtesies received

Mrs. S. H. Wentworth responded to the toast of "The Club Woman." With keen satire she alluded to the affront put upon the so-called new woman in a recent publication, and felt it necessary to say a word in her defence. The speaker thought some modifications of club life for both sexes were "The men are simply convivial," she said while the women take themselves too seriously. The "Auf Wiedersehen" was written by Mrs.

Henry T. Peirce and read by Mrs. C. W. H. Elting Mrs. Peirce being too ill to be present.

Miss Emma Elise West gave an amusing dinnes sketch entitled "When Angry Count One Hundred," and "The Fairles of Budapest," with musica

sketch entitled "When Angry Count One Hundred," and The Fairles of Budapest," with musical accompaniment.

The musical numbers were pleasingly interspersed throughout the programme. Mrs. Cecil Percy Poole and Miss Florence de Vere Boise were the soloists, and the plano selection by Miss Winifred Richardson received marked expressions of appreciation from the audience.

The Luncheon Committee consisted of Mrs. Malcolm McLean, chairman: Mrs. Emil Meyrowitz. Mrs. C. B. Tooker, Mrs. S. W. Wentworth and Mrs. J. L. Zebley. The Toast Committee was Mrs. Henry T. Peirce, chairman, assisted by Mrs. C. W. H. Elting, Mrs. I. C. Jordan and Mrs. J. Henry McKinley. Both committees received special praise from the president for the efficiency of their work. The guests of the day, other than those who took part in the programme, were Mrs. Harriet P. Nourse, secretary of Kilo Club, Chicago, Mrs. Helen E. Smith, Mrs. Jewett, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. John Alden, Mrs. Jeanette Leeper, Mrs. Fray, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Best, Mrs. A. Dexter, Mrs. F. H. Lane, Mrs. John Barry, Mrs. Jacob Hess, Mrs. George Wallis, Mrs. E. A. Greeley, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Bolles, Mrs. Richards,

ECLECTIC CLUB LUNCHEON.

CARNATIONS AND SMILAX FESTOONED OVER A DELMONICO TABLE.

The Eclectic Club's annual luncheon was held yesterday at Delmonico's. There are fifty members in the club, but covers were laid for one hundred, many members having guests with them. The Hungarian Band played during the feast, and at its close piano, violin and vocalisolos were ren dered by Professor Sonnakolb, Chevaller Dante Del Papa, Miss Martha Minor, Miss Elizabeth Donaldson, Mme. Camilla Urso and Miss Marguer-

A telegram of regret came from Mrs. William Tod Helmuth, who has gone to Bar Harbor; and Mrs. Donald McLean, another guest of honor, was prevented from attending by a death in the family. Letters of regret were read from Miss Lotta

lly. Letters of regret were read from Miss Lotta Crabtree and Mrs. Amelia Barr.
Addresses were delivered by Mrs. Albert Bellamy, Miss Field, Mrs. William W. Read, of the Daughters of the Confederacy, and Mr. Joseph Bradley Read, president of the society. The Rev. Phebe Hanaford pronounced the blessing. One of the principles of the club is to exclude from its menu all wine or intoxicating drink. Only water was served.

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Mrs. Clarence V. Kip, who was announced as the wit of the club, spoke on the club flower, the carnation. She said that the flower had "Achieved no smail measure of notoriety, Though all our members are pinks of propriety. Carnations, may they bloom in our gardens And nod on our bonnets."

To write odes and sonnets."

The table decorations were smilax, luxuriantly testooned, and heid in place with great bouquets

festooned, and of pink carnations.

MRS. DIAZ TO VISIT THE STATES.

It is rumored that President Diaz of Mexico and Mrs. Diaz, his second wife, will visit the United States this summer. Their last visit was on their wedding journey, and the bride is remembered as a

beautiful woman.

Mrs. Diaz is said to be the most popular woman
in Mexico. She is known as "Our Little Carmelita" from the mansions of the rich in the capital to the humblest hut on the frontier. July 16 is the saint's day of the wife of the President, and is celerated almost like a National holiday in Mexico. Mrs. Diaz is especially interested in education

and to-day there is not a hamlet of one hundred people that is without a free school, where English is taught as a compulsory branch. She has also been actively interested in the recent effort to place the Mexican girls upon a plane of industrial in-dependence, and her labors on behalf of La Escuela Industrial have been the primary cause of its im mediate success. This industrial school gives free instruction in needlework and sewing, and furnishes the girls with a good home when necessary. Women who cannot afford sewing-machines may bring their work to the school, where they may have free use of a machine and the sewing materials they

nay need.

A few years ago Mrs. Diaz succeeded in bringing of an amicable settlement the long strike of the A few years ago Mrs. Diaz succeeded in bringing to an amicable settlement the long strike of the girls employed in the match factories of the City of Mexico. For several years she has used her in-fluence to discourage bull-fighting. She is now a little more than thirty years of age, thirty-nine years younger than President Diaz.

ENOUGH TO LIVE UPON.

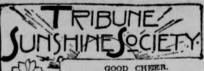
I think that most of us have a supreme need of perhaps a very few things, if we look frankly into the matter. To one person, for instance, living on a hill brings peace; another must have a good library; still another longs for exemption from the slavery still another longs for exemption from the slavery of some daily labor that circumstances convert into a duty. But to every one—aside from the more subtle elements of happiness—there are certain essentials to complete living that are only purchasable with money. That income is sufficient which gives us what we ought not to do without. There is dignity and integrity in exchanging the labor of our brains for the means to gain finer self-development and enlarged power of usefulness to others. The mind that can resign itself to smaller opportunities than it might attain to is a feeble mind, with its indolence but thinly masked.—(Woman's Home Companion.

PARK RESERVED FOR CHILDREN.

A petition signed by the small children who at-tend the classes and clubs of the Gospel Settle-ment, No. 211 Clinton-st., asking the use of the east end of Seward Park as a playground, was presented a few days ago to Bernard Glick, Alder-Cashmere Bouquet.

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GOOD CHEER. Have you had a kindness shown?
Pass it on,
Twas not given for you alone—
Pass it on.
Let it travel down the years.
Let it wipe another's tears.
Till in heaven the deed appears—
Pass it on.

LIFE'S MIRROR. There are loyal hear's, there are spirits brave,
There are souls that are pure and true!
Then give to the world the best you have
And the best will come back to you.

Give love, and love to your life will flow, A strength in your utmost need; Have faith, and a score of hearts will show Their faith in your word and deed.

Give truth, and your gifts will be paid in kind, And honor will honor meet. And a smile that is sweet will surely find A smile that is just as sweet!

For life is the miror of king and slave.

'Tis just what we are, and do.

Then give to the world the best you have

And the best will come back to you.

—(Madeline S. Bridges, in Demorest's.

Good thoughts are blessed guests, and should be heartily welcomed and much sought after. Like roseleaves, they give out a sweet smell if laid up in the jar of memory.—(Spurgeon.

LOVELY FLOWER CONTRIBUTIONS. A basket filled with lovely spring flowers, nunches of wild violets, maydowers and buttercups has reached the office. It was sent by the T. S. members of the Crugers (N. Y.) branch, of which Miss Harriet C. Vincent is president. Many hearts were made glad by these sweet gifts.

Another breath of country air and fragrance came in a box of violets sent by Ida and Dana Stockwell, of Sing Sing, N. Y.

T. S. S. CONSTITUTIONS. Theodore F. Seward, president of the Don't Worry T. S. S. Branch, reports that he has received \$5 from Mrs. Charles H. Denison, \$10 from Mrs. Washington Roebing and 3350 from Mrs. Henry Clark Coe. This money he has invested in T. S. S. constitutions, at the rate of 3550 a hundred, and given them to the Sunshine society for distribution.

Miss Elsie Hurd, Mrs. Dorcas Anderson, Mrs. M. E. Gammons and S. E. N. during the last week. Miss Hull is always glad to receive worsteds with which to make T. S. S. gifts, such as bables' socks, reins for boys and boudoir slippers for invalids.

Miss Kate Gravatt, a T. S. S. member of the

Hightstown (N. J.) branch, has met with a deep affliction in the death of her mother, who passed away last week. The president of the branch away last week. The presented of writes that Miss Gravatt has been a most devoted daughter, having had the care of her mother for many years. From the beginning of the Sunshine Society Miss Gravatt has been one of its interested workers. The sympathy of the members will go out to the bereaved daughter.

Miss Lina Hunter, formerly of No. 65 Miller-ave., Brooklyn, is most seriously ill, and she has been moved to the home of her sister, No. 178 Wyona-st., Brooklyn, Will her Sunshine correspondents please note the change of address and send her some ray of brightness to cheer the gloom of her sickroom? She is in pressing need of little delicacies. One dollar was sent yesterday from the T. S. S. fund, with a word of greeting.

That best portion of a good man's life; His little, nameless, unremembered acts Of kindness and of love. -(Wordsworth.

In response to a call in the column for clothing, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wicker, of this city, generously gave an entire new suit of boy's clothes, besides two extra coats, a waistcoat and a number of pretty neckties. In behalf of the recipient, the President-General extends her warmest thanks to the donors for the generous gift.

PRACTICAL SUNSHINE.

HATS, RIBBONS AND BONNETS.

Among the new shapes in hats for summer wear the low, rounded crown promises to prevail, the brim flaring at the front or side, according to taste.

In bonnets are seen the little, round capote, the trefoil and the broad Dutch bonnet, which is simi-lar to the old-fashioned cottage bonnet.

Roses have the foremost place among flowers in

millinery. The large, wide-open variety, made of silk and soft muslin, is the favorite, and is used without follage, forming garlands both on the outside and under the brim of the hat. In ribbons for millinery, taffeta of light weight and limp finish is generally in use. It does not

crease readily when made into bows or loops. These ribbons come in plain colors, from five to eight inches in width. Narrow ribbons are sold for the edging of ruching. Millinery jewelry is seen in French gold, with

Rhine crystals or cut steel, in the form of buckles, brooches and crescents. Hatpins are shown in a variety of designs in gold and silver and orna-mented with stones or enamelled in colors.

The new floral hats are made completely of one kind of flowers. Full-blown flowers can be more easily arranged. Sew them firmly and as close together as possible—a double row on the brim, one on the outside and one on the under side. An edging of small leaves is always effective.

WHAT JERSEY CLUBS ARE DOING.

The members of the Daughters of the American Revolution who reside in Jersey City but belong to outside chapters have been discussing for some time the establishment of a local chapter. Through crystallized, and the Paulus Hook Chapter has been organized. The following board of officers has just been appointed: R ger., Mrs. Althea R. Bedle; honbeen appointed: R gel., Mrs. Althea R. Bedle; hon-orary regent, Mrs. Solon Palmer; vice-regents, Mrs. Everest B. Kersted, Mrs. Geo. T. Werts and Mrs. James F. Rusling, of Trenton; secretary, Mrs. Thomas M. Gopelli, registrar, Mrs. Richard T. Romaine; treasurer, Mrs. Oliver R. Bianchard; his-torian, Mrs. George W. Case. These officers also constitute the board of management. The or-ganizing meeting was held at the home of Mrs. E. B. Kiersted, on Bergen-ave., Miss Ellen Batchellor, the New-Jersey State regent, assisting in the organization. There are many women in Jersey City eligible for membership.

Among the practical suggestions for another year's work as outlined by the educational department of the Jersey City Woman's Club at its last meeting were a study of psychology and childstudy in relation to the free kindergarten work aiready established by the club, an interest in the Audubon Society and the formation of mothers clubs. The programme for next year was brought before the meeting, and a committee, consisting of Mrs. S. C. Marvir. Miss Ballou and Miss Lillian Fuller, was appointed to prepare the list of subjects for next year's work.

CHINESE SCHOOLS IN THE WEST. The civilizing and Christianizing of the Chinese

is being encouraged in San Francisco by a free public school in the Chinese quarter. Eight religious denominations are doing what they call ligious denominations are doing what they call Chri-tianizing the heathen. In the public schools the English language is taught. The free public school numbers about two hundred publis, and the mission schools from fifty to one hundred each. Fathers and their children are often found in the same class. The regular text-books are used. Much difficulty is found in silencing the Chinese, their native custom being to study their lessons aloud. Inflection is as much a part of the Chinese language as construction, and it is supposed that this is the cause of their perversity in disobeying the rules.

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In the mission schools Chinese is taught before In the mission schools Chinese is taught before work during the day. Many accept the instruction in the Catechism with little grace, and, but for the sake of the English, which they desire for business reasons, the difficulties would be much

PRACTICAL PHILANTHROPY CLASS.

The Charity Organization Society will conduct a training class in practical philanthropy for six training class in practical philanthropy for six weeks, beginning on June 19. The class will be composed of college graduries who desire to gain a knowledge of the conditions of life in a large city and who are anxious to get a better understanding of the methods for improving the social situation. There will be no charge for tuition. The sessions of the class will begin at \$.30 o'clock daily, six days a week. The weekly topics are private charities, child-saving, public charities, municipal activities affecting the poor and prison reform. There will be instruction and practical work. Police courts districts and other institutions will be visited. NURSES TALK OF WAR WORK.

FINAL SESSION OF THE ASSOCIATED ALUMNÆ CONVENTION WAS MOST INTERESTING.

The convention of the Nurses' Associated Alumna of the United States and Canada held morning and evening sessions yesterday at the Academy of Medicine, No. 17 West Forty-third-st. A paper on "How to Bring Skilled Nursing to People of Moderate Means" was read by Miss Mary Wightman, of the Visiting Nurse Society of Philadelphia and the Alice Fisher Alumnæ Association, the discussion following being led by Miss Koch, of the Michael Reese Hospital Alumnæ Association.

In the executive session it was announced that the Post-Graduate Alumnæ Association, of New-New-Jersey, and the Boston City Alumnæ Association had joined the Associated Alumnæ. The afternoon session opened with a resume of army nursing. Miss Wadleigh, a graduate of the Bellevue Training School, and representing the Red Cross Auxiliary No. 3, was the first speaker. She gave reports of her work, and read selections from the letters of three nurses who have gone out to Manila on the Grant and Sherman.

Miss Sutliffe, superintendent of the New-York Training School and Hospital, who was in charge of the work at Camp Black, Hempstead, gave an account of her experience, and Miss Maxwell, superintendent of the Training School of the Presby

terian Hospital, spoke of her work at Sternberg Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia. Two of the nurses recently returned from Porto Miss Gertsch, of the Rhode Island Hospital-also spoke. A paper written by Miss A. M. Carr, of the Johns Hopkins Alumnæ Association, on "The Duty of Local Associations to the Associated Alumnæ, Involving the Discipline of Nurses," was read by Miss Nutting, superintendent of the Johns Hopkins

Miss Nuttling, superintendent of the Johns Hopkins Association.

A paper written by Miss Rykert, of the New-York Hospital Alumnæ, was read by Miss Hitch-cock. Miss Amy A. Chamberlain, of the Alumnæ. Association of the Presbyterian Association Training School, also read a paper.

Contrary to all expectation, no action was taken regarding the elimination of "Canada" from the name of the association, the subject being laid over to the next annual convention. The unanimous election of three honorary members—Miss Florence Nightingale, of London; Mrs. Winthrop Cowdin and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, of New-York—was followed by hearty applause.

The election of officers, which closed the executive session, resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Hunter Robb; first vice-president, Miss Helena Barnard; second vice-president, Miss Helena Barnard; second vice-president, Miss Nutting; treasurer, Miss Tamar Healy; secretary, Miss Thornton, Mrs. Robb, Miss Barnard and Miss Healy, of the old Board, were re-elected by acciamation.

The convention then adjourned, to meet in this city next year. A convention of the superintendents of training schools of the United States and Canada will hold its opening session and council meeting this morning at 10 o'clock, at the same place, many of the delegates belonging to both conventions.

The programme of meetings for the remainder of the week will be outlined at the council meeting and announced later.

"PAINY DAY" DISRAYDS ENTIL FAIL

"RAINY DAY" DISBANDS UNTIL FALL.

The members of the Rainv Day Club turned out in full force yesterday afternoon to hold the last meeting of the season. Mrs. A. M. Palmer pre-sided and Mrs. Goodfriend presented a short programme Dr. Dearborne spoke on the relation of food to vigor and longevity. Kenyon Cox gave a short talk on art in decorations. Mrs. Von Klenner presented several musical selections, and Mrs. Mary K. Kraut talked on Samoa.

She said that the people of the island had similar customs and spoke much the same language as the customs and spoke much the same language as the Hawaiians. She described a procession of prisoners she once saw on the island as having been dressed in bright robes draped so as to expose their rattooed limbs. Each man carried an umbrella. She declared that the people of the island must work out their own salvation and achieve their own civilization, and neither Americans or Germans can help them to it without their own effort.

An unusually pleasant social hour was spent after the programme was finished, the members regretting that they were separating until October.

MORE CHANGES IN THE BENEFIT.

The latest change concerning the benefit for the Professional Woman's League was announced The performance will not take place

Miss Maude Banks, who is to play the role of D'Artagnan in "The Three Guardsmen," has arrived, and is now attending the daily rehearsals which are being held on the stage of the Broadway Theatre. William Redmund has requested that all atre. William Redmund has requested that all women in the cast who are called upon to wear "male clothes" come to rehearsals prepared to don trousers until the arrival of the costumes, which are expected hourly. There is quite a demand at the Broadway box office for seats. Miss Mary Hampton will take Judith Berolde's place as Anne of Austria. Miss Berolde leaves for Europe on the 10th.

THE TRIBUNE PATTERN.

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back in bertha style. The back is closed invisibly,

back in bertha style. The back is closed invisibly, silk buttons with loops forming a decorative closing that extends on the skirt in up-to-date style. A standing collar finishes the neck. The two-seam sleeves fit the arm closely nearly to the top, where gathers adjust the slight fulness according to present style. The wrists shaped in scalloped outline are completed by ruchings of ribbon.

The three-piece skirt lares stylishly at the foot and fits smoothly at the top. Backward-turning pleats that meet over the placket in centre back adjust the stylish fulness that rippies to the lower edge. The trimming applied in scalloped outline over the hem gives the effect of a double skirt and adds much to the dressy effect of this pretty costume. Wool challie, cashmere, foulard, india and taffeta sliks, crêpe, veiling and fancy mixed goods will develop prettilly by the mode in conjunction with slik, satin, crêpe-de-chine, mousse-line de sole or lace net. Gingham, lawn, organdy, dimity, piqué, duck, percale or other wash fabrics are suitable material to fashion in this style. To make this dress for a girl of eight years will require two and a half yards of material forty-four inches wide. The pattern, No. 7669, is cut in sizes for girls six, eight, ten and twelve years of age.

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INCIDENTS IN SOCIETY.

The wedding of Miss Mae McCall, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. McCall, to Albert McClave, son of ex-Police Commissioner John McClave, was celebrated at noon, yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, No. 54 West Seventy-second-st. Only the immediate relatives of the couple were present at the cermony, which was prformed by the Rev. Matthew A. Taylor, of the Roman Catholic Church of the Blessed Sacrament. The bride was attired in a gown of white satin, while her only attendant, Miss Louise McClave, whose engagement to the bride's brother, Baliard McCall, was announced some months ago, wore a gown of pink silk and mouseline de sole. John McClave, jr., attended his brother as best man. There were no ushers. A buffet breakfast followed the ceremony.

In St. Thomas's Protestant Episcopal Church Fifth-ave, and Fifty-third-st., at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, occurred the wedding of Miss Katherine Chrystle, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas M. L. Chrystle, of No. 361 West Fifty-seventh-st., to H. Percy Douglas. It was a very pretty wedding, and the church was filled with the friends of the young couple. The bridal gown was of white silk trimmed with Honiton lace, and the tulle veil was fastened with orange blossoms. The bride carried a bouquet of white sweet peas. Miss Florence Bergh Brown was the mald of honor. She wore a costume of pink silk covered with white mull and a white toque ornamented with pink ribbons. Her bouquet was of white and pur-ple lilacs. The little pages were Miss Polly Hunter, a niece of the bridegroom, and Master Donald Bayne. Archibald Douglas was his brother's best man. The ushers were Paul Armitage, J. Augustus Barnard, Henry Eddy, Mortimer Ward and Andrew V. Stout. There was no general reception after the ceremony, which was performed by Bishop A. N. Littlejohn, of Long Island, an uncle of the bridegroom, assisted by the Rev. Dr. John Wesley Brown, the rector of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernesto G. Fabbri, who went abroad some months ago to visit relatives of Mr. Fabbf in Italy, arrived from Genoa on Tuesday on the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

The wedding of Miss Maude Gansevoort Teneyck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard G. Teneyek, of Albany, N. Y., to Edward Griffiths, of Philadelphia, will take place the last week in June, at the country home of the bride's parents, at Castleton, a few miles south of Albany.

House yesterday morning on its regular trip to the Casino, at Ardsley-on-the-Hudson, with a stag party, guests of C. H. Smith. The passengers were George Legg, Franklin Allen, Russell Mur-ray, Mr. Fergus, Otto Andrews, Jr., Walter Kobbe, F. J. Rue and George Andrea. Frederic Bronson was the whip.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Marion Williams, daughter of John Williams, of Salem, Mass., to Professor Parker, of St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kidd and Miss Georgette Kidd, of No. 83 Fifth-ave., have engaged apartments at the Margaret, Newport, for the season.

Mrs. Robert Minturn Grinnell, who passed the

winter at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, has gone to her country home, at Skaneateles, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clarkson, having sold their country home at Seabright, N. J., will probably spend the coming season at one of the Hud-son River places for which Mr. Clarkson has lately been negotiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Low and their family, who have arranged to spend part of the months of May and June at Ardsley-on-the-Hudson, will sail for Europe about the second week in June, to be gone for six months. They will divide the time between Russia, Norway and Sweden.

The marriage of Miss Gertrude Walker, of No. of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanwood Jordan, son 321 West Eighty-ninth-st., will take place early next month. 1.048 Fifth-ave., to Frank Winthrop Jordan, son

Mrs. Cadwalader Jones and her daughter, Miss Beatrix Jones, who went abroad last autumn, have returned to New-York. They will, as usual, pass the summer months at Bar Harbor.

Miss Florence May Wilcox, of Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin, was married yesterday to William H. Johns, of this city, at the home of her brother, Dr. Sidney F. Wilcox, No. 51 West Fifty-second-st. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Lewis S. Osborn, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, Newark. He was assisted by the Rev. C. H. Warren, of the Union Methodist Episcopal Church, New-York. Henry T. Weeks, of Bayside, Long Island, was best man, and Miss Grace W. Patten and Miss Mary Edith Park were the brides-maids. About fifty guests were present.

MEETING OF THE FRIENDS.

The quarterly meeting of the Society of Friends is being held in the Hicksite Meeting-house, in Amawalk. The first session yesterday was opened at 11 o'clock by a devotional meeting, followed by the business meeting. A luncheon was served by the women of Amawalk meeting in the gallery, and in the afternoon a meeting of the Philan-thropic Society was held. James F. Haviland pre-sided, and numerous reports of work done were read. To-day the meeting will be open to the pub-lic, and addresses may be expected by several speakers prominent in the society. COLORED CORPS IN THE SOUTH.

THE SALVATION ARMY PLANS TO EXTENT ITS INFLUENCE. A plan by which the Salvation Army hopes to

extend its work and influence in the South has been decided upon by the officers at the National headquarters, in this city. It has been decided to organize several colored corps of the army in the principle Southern cities, with the view of establishing colored branches of the army throughout the Southern States as soon as it becomes apparent that the idea is practicable.

Although there are many colored members of the Salvation Army in the North, they have heretofore been practically shut out of the ranks of the army in the South. This was explained by Colonel E. J. Higgins, chief secretary of the army, who, in talking to a Tribune reporter yesterday,

"The reason we have not extended our work among the colored people in the South was not because we did not want them in our ranks, but because the color line is so distinctly drawn down there that it is impracticable to attempt to get the white and colored members to work together. So we have decided upon this plan of organizing colored corps, with colored officers, all of whom will be under the general command of Major J. N. Parker, of Atlanta. He is the new commander of the Southern division, and when he was appointed, two months ago, part of his instructions was in reference to this extension of our work among the colored people. The first corps will be formed in Atlanta. The work of training its officers is already under way, and we expect this corps to begin work in a few weeks.

But the real working out of this new plan will not begin until next fall. By that time we will have had a chance to see how the plan works in Atlanta, and will then go ahead with the organization of colored corps in the other larger cities of

Atlanta, and will then go ahead with the organization of colored corps in the other larger cities of the South. Already the officers of the army in Louisville and several other Southern cities have asked for permission to organize colored corps in their cities. They say that they believe the army can do a vast amount of good among the colored people by thus extending the work. Many of the Southern negroes of the better class are anxious to join the army, and to help us in the work among the people of their race.

"The Southern organizations will not be the first colored corps formed by the army. We have a colored corps in Boston, which was formed about eight months ago. All of its officers and members, about forty in number, are colored. It holds meetings in a hall in a part of the city inhabited largely by colored people, and is meeting with great success in its work. Their hall holds about two hundred and fifty persons, and they have it crowded at nearly every meeting.

"Many of the colored members of the army in Boston and this city have offered to go South to assist in the formation of the colored corps there, and it is likely that some of them will be sent South as soon as they are sufficiently trained for the work. We expect great results from these colored forces, and have every reason to believe that the new scheme will meet with success."

MRS. VAN AUKEN DISCHARGED.

MACHSTRATE OLMSTED DECIDES TH. F THE CASE AGAINST HER IS ONE FOR

Mrs. Barrett Van Auken, who has been in the Believue Hospital prison ward for some time, suf-fering from morphine poisoning and under arrest on a charge of larceny, was dismissed from the institution yesterday morning. She has recovered from her illness.

Mrs. Van Auken was later arraigned before Magistrate Oimsted in the West Side Police Court The specific charge against her was the illegal conversion of a plano, the complainant being William Myllus, of No. 12 Union Square. It was alleged that Mrs. Van Auken had a year and a half ago purchased a piar o from the Automaton Piano Com-pany for \$500. She paid \$100 cash. The piano 614 not work, and another was sent to the rooms occunot work, and another was sent to the rooms occupied by Mrs. Van Auken in the Hotel Girard, in West Forty-fourth-st. Mrs. Van Auken ceased to pay the instalments on the plano, and the matter was turned over to Mylius to collect. He got \$75.

A little while ago the Hotel Girard people seized the plano for \$300 owed by Mrs. Van Auken for board and lodging. Masistrate Olmsted, after hearing the evidence decided that the case was one for the civil courts. Mrs. Van Auken was discharged. Both sides were represented by counsel.

ISADORA DUNCAN MAKES TROUBLE.

PROJECTED SUIT AGAINST MRS. DI ZEREGA AND OTHERS SETTLED.

Mrs. John di Zerega and several other women who were patronesses of the entertainment entitled "Dances of Spring," which was given at Delmonico's on Monday evening, April 10, and in which Miss Isadora Duncan appeared, have just had an Miss Isadora Duncan appeared, have young woman. The unpleasant experience with that young woman. The entertainment was given in "aid of Miss Duncan and other sufferers from the Windsor Hotel fire," and Miss Duncan's turn, or dance, was followed by several quadrilles, in which the dancers were young society girls, members of a fashionable Lenten sewing class. It appears that Miss Defices, was not "benefited" in a pecuniary way by her performance, and threatened to bring suit against Mrs. di Zerega and the other women interested in organizing the entertainment. The matter was settled yesterday.

Mrs. di Zerega last night characterized the reports of the affair printed in two of yeaterday afternoon's newspapers as incorrect and highly sensational. Miss Duncan, she said, danced at the ensational miss Duncan, she said, danced at the ensational for the five minutes. Mrs. di Zerega said that the dancer was not in the Windsor Hotel of the time of the fire. unpleasant experience with that young woman. The

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